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In re application of: R. M. Kapre, et al.

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01-721/LSI1P185

Application No.: 10/020,304

Examiner: A. N. Sefer

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Title: BURIED CHANNEL DEVICES AND A PROCESS  
FOR THEIR FABRICATION SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH  
SURFACE CHANNEL DEVICES TO PRODUCE  
TRANSISTORS AND CAPACITORS WITH MULTIPLE  
ELECTRICAL GATE OXIDES

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
(37 CFR §1.114)

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1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Any unentered amendment referred to above will be entered.)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.
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- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

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Fee for Request for Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)	\$750 =	750.00
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- ☒ a. Applicant hereby petitions for a **one** month extension of time.
- ☒ b. Applicant believes that no (additional) extension of time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant hereby petitions that such an extension be granted and authorizes the Director to charge the required fees for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to Deposit Account No. 12-2252.
- ☒ d. The Director is authorized to charge any fees beyond the amount enclosed which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 12-2252 (Order No. 01-721/LSI1P185)
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